

## H. R. 357.

[No Report.]

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

JULY 25, 1850.

Read twice, and committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

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Mr. MOREHEAD, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported the following bill:

### A BILL

Requiring security for costs to be given in certain cases in the Courts of the United States.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*  
2   *sentatives of the United States of America in Congress*  
3   *assembled, That in all suits now pending, or which may*  
4   *be hereafter brought, in any district or circuit court of the*  
5   *United States, by any patentee or the assignee of any pa-*  
6   *tent right, or any interest therein, the plaintiff or plaintiffs*  
7   *shall be required by the court, to give bond and security*  
8   *for the payment of all costs, which have or may accrue in*  
9   *such suit, and upon a failure to give such bond with such*  
10   *security as may be approved by the court, said suit shall*  
11   *be dismissed.*